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TO:

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FROM:

Doug Jensen, Senior Reclamation Specialist Affirem

RE:

Site Inspection, Sunroc Corporation, Inc., East Vevo Cinder Knoll Project, S/053/067,

Washington County, Utah

Date of Inspection:

July 16, 2002

Time of Inspection:

12:30 p.m.

Conditions:

Hot, Clear & Windy

Participants:

Doug Jensen, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: Initial site visit to familiarize myself with the site location and conditions.

Getting to the site:

The site is located along highway 18, ~2 miles north of Veyo. The turnoff to the site is a well-traveled road which leads to a community pit one mile west of the highway. The Veyo Cinder Knoll Project is immediately west of a large community pit.

Observations:

A portion of the permitted area has been stripped of soil. The soil has been piled in berms surrounding the stripped area. The stripped area presently encompasses $\sim 1\frac{1}{2}$ acres of the permit area. This area has been stripped of soil only, mining of the cinders has not been initiated.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The soil on the east portion of the site has been intermingled with materials from the community pit. The soils along the common area between these two pits should be collected and placed where it will be readily available for reclamation of the site upon closure. Signs should be placed to avoid confusion of this site with the community pit, which is located immediately east of the site. Soil piles should be seeded to maintain soil viability until the site is reclaimed.

The site is stable with no apparent environmental concerns. Photos were taken of the

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site.

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